THE HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE D. APPARAO

W.P.No. 10114 of 2006

Heard.

At the request on both sides the writ petition is taken up for final disposal.

The petitioner is the owner of land in Sy.Nos. 68 and 69 of Garividi village in Vizianagaram District admeasuring an extent of Ac.2.14 cents. The A.P. Transco, 1st respondent herein, issued a notice for establishing 220 K.V. power transmission line from Garividi Electirical Sub-Station to Tekkali Electrical Sub-Station and in that process the standing crops and the trees are required to be cut. The grievance of the petitioner is that without payment of compensation the 1st respondent is laying transmission lines by cutting the trees in his land. He is in fact entitled to the compensation for the trees to be cut in his land.

The learned counsel for the respondents represented that the matter was referred to the Mandal Revenue Officer for assessment of compensation for the trees to be cut and therefore there need not be any apprehension for the petitioner in this regard. Thereupon the learned counsel for the petitioner represented that a direction may be issued to respondents 2 and 3 to consider the representation of the petitioner in this regard and to pass appropriate order.

Considering the submissions, I deem it appropriate to direct respondents 2 and 3 to consider the representation of the petitioner, if any made in this regard and pass appropriate orders in accordance with law.

The writ petition is accordingly disposed of. No costs.

24th May, 2006

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